

AMERICAN BOYCOTT PROTEST NOW IN BRITISH HANDS

DEUTSCHLAND IS READY FOR DASH BUT STILL WAITS

Capt. Koenig, With Clearance Papers in His Pocket and Pilot on Call Still Delays Departure.

MAKE NO COMPLAINT ABOUT BRITISH CRUISER

Entrance of U. S. Waters by Battleship is Only a Violation of Unwritten Courtesy Code.

International News Service: BALTIMORE, Md., July 27.—With every preparation made and every legal formality complied with, the German super-submarine Deutschland today still lay at her dock in Baltimore harbor, ready for her return dash across the Atlantic. Every possible precaution has been taken to safeguard the undersea boat on her perilous trip through the enemy-infested ocean, where warships of the allied powers wait to capture or destroy her. But the final word that would send the Deutschland down Chesapeake bay on the first leg of her long journey was withheld, and Capt. Paul Koenig waited impatiently for some mysterious message, the lack of which has kept the Deutschland at her dock.

Capt. Koenig said today that he could not say when his craft would get away. German Consul Carl Leudertiz, however, after announcing that an expected visit of Ambassador von Bernstorff to Baltimore had been indefinitely postponed, declared:

"The Deutschland is fully prepared to go, but I believe she will not be able to get away from Baltimore for about a week."

Has Pilot on Call.

Capt. Koenig, with his clearance papers in his pocket and a pilot on call at all hours, was apparently ready to move at a moment's notice. But between his craft as she lay at her dock, and the open sea there are many perils. Two hulking British freighters, the Habburny and the Ardgrife, swung at their anchors in the Patuxent River just off the Deutschland's dock. When they originally dropped anchor they took a position which would have effectively prevented the Deutschland from leaving her pier. The agents of the Deutschland after excited conferences complained to the harbor authorities and the Ardgrife was forced to shift her berth. She did not move far, however, and the presence of the two Britishers will force Capt. Koenig to make an exceedingly careful and laborious start out of his dock.

Observers on Guard.

Down the Patuxent and along Chesapeake bay a fleet of fast motor boats carrying British observers is waiting to relay to the warships outside the exact information as to every move of the submarine after she leaves her dock. One motor boat observer lies less than 1,000 yards from the pier and he will start as soon as the Deutschland makes a move. Capt. Koenig will be called upon to use all of his seamanship if he is to make his way out through the Virginia capes, where a squadron of allied warships lies in wait, keeping a patrol that at times brings them within the three-mile territorial limit.

There was general satisfaction among the German agents here today over the action of the United States in sending the battleships North Carolina and three destroyers to preserve neutrality off the capes.

Capt. Koenig seemed particularly gratified. He declared that he felt certain that the United States warships would see that he was given a "square deal."

The tug Timmins, which has guarded the Deutschland since her arrival here, made ready for an extended cruise today. The Timmins filled her bunkers to overflowing with coal and despite the fact that the bunkers hold a week's supply, her after deck was piled high with brand new canvas bags of coal.

TO MAKE NO COMPLAINT.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—Complaint hardly will be made to the British government on account of the invasion of American territorial waters by a British cruiser two days ago. The report of Capt. Phelps, commanding the battleship Louisiana, now in the hands of the state department, has convinced officials

South Bend Swelters as Mercury Flirts With 100

BULLETIN.

A slight breeze was felt at Medicine Hat this morning and it is expected that it will develop into a blizzard by Christmas, thereby relieving the heat wave. Cheer up.

That persistent pursuer who has been persecuting Miss South Bend for so many days with his amorous heat waves came out bright and early Thursday morning and notwithstanding her efforts to combat his attentions stuck around all day.

Her bosom friend, Jupe Pluvius, was conspicuous by his absence today.

POLICE CAPTURE THREE SUSPECTS IN BOMB CASE

Two Men, a Woman, and Dynamiting Paraphernalia Are Seized.

International News Service: SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Two men and a woman now are in the custody of the police on suspicion of being members of a group of radicals responsible for the bomb outrage during the preparedness parade last Saturday.

They are: Warren K. Billings, alias Thomas Harris, ex-convict, who has served time at Folsom for carrying dynamite on a passenger train. Israel Weinberg, bus driver, charged with being in the vicinity of the explosion and driving away with two persons involved in the plot. Mrs. Belle Lavin, at whose lodging house Billings lived, who also gave refuge to M. A. Schmitt and J. B. McNamara while they were planning the preliminaries of the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building.

Following the arrest of Billings, Weinberg and Mrs. Lavin, Chief of Police White sent out a nation-wide call for the apprehension of Thomas Mooney, an I. W. W. agitator, and his wife, Rena, both of whom are suspected of being members of the group that planned the bomb explosion.

Find Bullets.

A raid on the home of Mrs. Lavin resulted in the finding of a quantity of steel jacketed bullets, slugs and other missiles identical to those found in the bomb that was exploded during the preparedness parade.

A second raid later last night on the studio of Mrs. Mooney, resulted in the finding of a box containing records of explosives stolen from quarries in the bay region and of structures dynamited in and around San Francisco.

A bomb similar to the one fired during the preparedness parade except it is not loaded with bullets and slugs, is also among the evidence obtained by the police. The bomb has a clock attachment fitted to a board to prevent it from moving while carried in a suit case.

Hot Fight is on Among Cities For Farm Loan Banks

WASHINGTON, July 27.—A hot fight among the larger cities of the United States for designation as headquarters of farm loan banks created by the new rural credits act, is on. The rural credits act creates twelve farm loan banks to be field agencies of the farm loan board which sits at Washington to aid in financing the American farmer. Business men realize that possession of such a bank will be a large commercial asset to any city.

It is the settled policy of the Administration that the present federal reserve bank cities shall not be the locations of farm loan banks. Baltimore, Pittsburgh and New Orleans, the three cities so bitterly disappointed in not being designated as federal reserve cities are in the field for farm loan banks and will send delegations to Washington to urge their choice. Three of the banks must be in the south. Baltimore, Louisville, Memphis, New Orleans, Birmingham, Nashville, Fort Worth and Oklahoma City are all out for designation. In the north, Hartford, Conn., Albany, N. Y., Buffalo, Columbus, Dayton, Cincinnati, Peoria, Omaha, Denver, Seattle and Portland, Ore., are among the ambitious municipalities.

Heedings on the merits of the cities are expected to be held shortly.

COMMITTEE IS AGAINST PLEA FOR CASEMENT

Senate Body Thinks Britain Would Resent Action. Take up Kelly Case.

International News Service: WASHINGTON, July 27.—The senate foreign relations committee this afternoon voted to make an adverse report to the senate on Sen. Martine's resolution and all substitutes providing for the president to intercede in Sir Roger Casement's behalf.

As soon as the parliamentary situation in the senate will allow, Sen. Stone will make a report setting forth the committee's opinion that adoption of the resolution, or substitutes would be a resented by the British government and would injure, more than aid, Casement's chances for commutation of sentence.

The committee's adverse action came as a surprise to the supporters of the resolution. It had been expected that a modification of the measure would be recommended. Sen. Martine stated he will not abandon the fight, but will try to have the committee's report rejected and the measure adopted by the senate.

URGES RECONSIDERATION.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The state department today called the British foreign office, through Ambassador Page at London, a request urging that it reconsider its decision barring from landing at Liverpool, Thomas Hughes Kelly of New York, treasurer of the Irish Relief fund, his wife, Mrs. Emerance D. S. Kelly, and his secretary, Joseph Smith of Lowell, Mass. At the same time the British ambassador, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, cabled a recommendation that his government at least permit the trio to land in England even though it later should be found imprudent to permit them to proceed to Ireland to distribute the \$50,000 that Kelly carried to be used in relieving the sufferers from the recent Irish rebellion.

Many protests demanding that the United States insist on Kelly being permitted to finish his relief work and protesting against the action of the British foreign office, have reached both state department and the white house. These came from every section of the country and some of them are understood to be couched in most emphatic language.

Say Rotten Eggs Are Being Sent By Parcels Post

International News Service: WASHINGTON, July 27.—Complaints to federal authorities that rotten eggs again are being shipped through the mails by parcel post are to be investigated by the department of justice and the department of agriculture. It was decided today by Atty. Gen. Gregory and Solicitor General of the department of agriculture.

Special instructions were sent to district attorneys in every egg producing section ordering them to make thorough inquiry in the trade and discover if any bad eggs are being shipped in interstate commerce. The department of agriculture, which is charged with administration of pure food and drugs act, will cooperate in gathering evidence that rotten eggs are being shipped. The fact that complaints from various sections of the country have come in almost simultaneously has led the government authorities to suspect collusion among shippers.

GERMANS SAY ALL ATTACKS ARE REPULSED

British Assaults With Hand Grenades Are Thrown Back and French Fail to Gain Ground.

ARTILLERY ACTIVE ON SOMME AND ANCRE

New English Positions at Pozieres Are Being Organized to Resist Counter Attacks.

International News Service: BERLIN, July 27.—The repulse of British, French and Russian attacks was reported in the official statement of the German war office today.

On the Somme front British attacks made with hand grenades west of Pozieres failed to gain any ground.

South of the Somme the French attacked northeast of Barleux, but were repelled.

On the eastern front Russian attacks on the Schitchara river south of Baranovitch and near Beresteczko, on the Galician border broke down.

Official Report.

The official report follows: "West front—Between the Ancre and the Somme there was intense fighting on both sides during the night. Enemy hand grenade attacks were repulsed west of Pozieres. "South of the Somme a French attack northeast of Barleux failed. "French attacks in the region of Froide de Terre ridge and Fleury (Verdun front) were repulsed. Fighting continues.

"Strong British reconnoitering detachments on the front southwest of Warnefontaine approached our trench. Near Richebourg patrols of the enemy were repulsed.

French Coup Fails.

"A French coup de main north of Vienne-le-Chateau failed. Near Vienne-le-Chateau, northwest of Prunay, we made about 50 prisoners. "A French biplane was shot down near Beine, east of Rheims. "East front—The Russians yesterday evening made a futile storming attack against our positions on the Schitchara, northwest of La-Jachowitschi. The Russians were also repulsed west of Beresteczko. "On the Galician front, south of the Komolka, south of Wladyslaw, which was productive of severe losses to the enemy, there is nothing else to report."

ARTILLERY IS ACTIVE.

International News Service: LONDON, July 27.—There was strong artillery activity last night between the Somme and Ancre rivers by both British and German guns.

The war office in its official report issued early this afternoon stated that the British forces on the Somme front are continuing pressing back the Germans at various points. The new British position at Pozieres has been strongly organized to resist German counter-attacks despite the rain of artillery fire which the German guns directed against it. The loss of this village was one of the most serious blows struck the Germans by the British on the Somme battlefield for it controls a ridge of ground 150 yards high and dominates the Bapaume road for a considerable distance.

War Office Report.

The war office report follows: "During the night our artillery was active. We continued to press the enemy back in hand-to-hand encounters at various points. The enemy is using large numbers of gas and 'tear' shells. Elsewhere on the front there have been no important developments in the past 48 hours."

FRENCH REPORT PROGRESS.

International News Service: PARIS, July 27.—Progress for the French on the Somme front and also in the sector of Verdun was reported by the war office today. The communiques states that the Germans attacked north of the Aisne and also delivered a strong assault in Champagne, but were repulsed in both places.

On the Somme front the ground gained was south of the river. At Verdun the French made an attack with hand grenades west of Thiaumont, which enabled them to move forward their positions. There was a violent artillery duel

on the Danube has been opened between Passau, Germany, and Belgrade.



TWO OTHER BOYS NOW INVOLVED

Attorney For Hinterliter Claims Accused Man Only Answered Distress Call.

International News Service: O'NEAL, Ill., July 27.—Striking resemblance to the Orpet case at Lake Forest is seen in some phases of the case which has developed since the arrest of Roy Hinterliter on a charge of causing the death of a pretty 17-year-old Elizabeth Rathbone by injecting air into her arteries. An indication of what Hinterliter's defense will be was given by former County Judge H. B. Wither, who has been retained by the family to defend Hinterliter.

It developed that Hinterliter was one of three admirers of the girl. The other two are Fred Herrin and Bill Harding, now at the border with Company L, fourth Illinois Infantry. According to this version, Hinterliter was summoned to O'Neal by two letters—one from the girl, the other from one of her admirers.

Discriminating Evidence.

There is nothing to show that Hinterliter was responsible for the girl's condition, said Judge Wither. "There is nothing to show he was responsible for any act of violence. There was a catfight found, but even if it is shown that Hinterliter bought it, there is nothing to show he used it. He only answered a call of distress and wanted only to aid the girl. Another boy who before had tried to cast suspicion of guilt on Hinterliter, also wrote him to come to O'Neal that particular night."

Judge Wither declined to give the name of the other boy. Hinterliter's family is well to do. His mother is owner of much valuable farming lands and the family has many wealthy friends. The boy has always been known as a clean cut young chap, thrifty and given to attending to his business of farming. No attempt is indicated on the part of the state to show any intent to kill—it is only charged that the girl came to her death as the result of an attempt at an operation which the law does not countenance.

Sheriff West is guarding his prisoner closely and because of the vacation term, the youth may not be admitted to bail for some time.

APPEAL TO WORKERS.

International News Service: AMSTERDAM, July 27.—Leaders of German socialists and trade unionists have issued an appeal to all German workmen to refrain from strikes in the interests of a speedy peace.

STEAMERS PLY DANUBE.

International News Service: BERLIN, (via wireless Sayville), July 27.—Direct steamship service on the Danube has been opened between Passau, Germany, and Belgrade.

LAKE MICHIGAN SHARK PROVES ONLY A CARP

International News Service: CHICAGO, July 27.—Lake Michigan, being fresh water, has no sharks, but there are big fish in it just the same—big enough to drive bathers ashore. Sinden Walton, 190 E. Chestnut st., Evanston, rushed in last night, shouting a fish had attacked him. The beach guards assisted him and the fish was lassoed. It was found to weigh 45 pounds and was believed to be some ferocious species, until a fisherman happened along and pronounced it a carp, which would not attack a man on a bet. But Walton and his wife have a photograph of it to prove their story.

TURKISH ARMENIA IN RUSSIAN HANDS

Only Feeble Resistance is Being Offered to Grand Duke's Advance.

International News Service: PETROGRAD, July 27.—All of Turkish Armenia is now in possession of the Russians as a result of the capture of Erzingan by the army of Grand Duke Nicholas.

Only feeble resistance is being offered to the victorious Russians as they continue their advance southward toward the Bagdad railway, southwestward toward the Mediterranean sea and northward toward Constantinople.

The Russians that captured Erzingan did not pause there, but are continuing their pursuit of the demoralized Turks. Russian forces are moving upon Kemah and Karahissar, west and northwest of Erzingan.

The advance guard of the individual Russian army under Gen. Iden-Ichen, which is west of Erzingan, is about 500 miles from Constantinople, but is only 250 miles from the Mediterranean sea. Dispatches from Tiflis say that the Turks set fire to Erzingan before evacuating the city, but considerable booty fell into the hands of the Russians.

On the western front violent fighting has developed along the Dvina river front where Field Marshal von Hindenburg is making desperate efforts to check the Russian advance by means of savage counter-attacks. Around the great railway town of Baranovitch, farther to the south, another battle is in progress.

The fall of Brody, on the Galician frontier, is believed to be imminent. The Russians have made further progress during the past 24 hours in their encircling movement, capturing prisoners and guns. Fighting in Volhynia is being carried out under tremendous difficulties, owing to continuous rainstorms which have turned the battlefields to swamps and inland seas.

DISORDER GROWS IN CAR STRIKE

Employees Who Refused to Heed Call of Leaders Are Assaulted.

International News Service: NEW YORK, July 27.—The trolley strike which originated in West Chester county and spread to the lines of the Union Railway Co., in the Bronx today resulted in disorder at many points. Employees who refused to heed the call of their leaders were assaulted. Attempts were made to wreck the few cars which were sent out under armed guards.

Because police and private detectives helped the company in its efforts to run cars, General Organizer William B. Fitzgerald, of the Amalgamated association of Street Car Employees, threatened to tie up every surface car in New York city. William Collins, another organizer, backed up Fitzgerald in his threats and said further that the strike would be extended to other subway and elevated lines if the need arose.

Guards Protect Crews.

Automobiles filled with guards sped along the trolley lines today to protect the crews of the cars that were being operated. Extra police were stationed at transfer points and along main thoroughfares. At one point 50 men armed with riot sticks were held in reserve.

Uniformed employees were attacked by strike sympathizers when they appeared at the West Farms barn to go to work. The police under Inspector Walsh charged the strikers and their friends every time they gathered in groups, but the unionists succeeded in maintaining a guard in every street leading to the barn. As one car ran out of the barn and passed under the subway structure at 174th st. and Southern boulevard, it was charged by a mob that tried to pull off the motorman and conductor. The police reserves, hurriedly summoned, beat members of the mob with their clubs and the car finally proceeded.

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Officials Are Hopeful That That Emphatic Opposition Enunciated by U. S. Will Bring Change.

FRENCH LEAN TOWARD U. S. VIEW IN MAIL CASE

Delay in Reply to America's Protest Said to Be Result of Disagreement Between Allies.

International News Service: WASHINGTON, July 27.—The American protest against the British boycott now is in the hands of the British foreign office. Acting Secy of State Polk today let it be known that the protest was approved by Pres. Wilson last night. It immediately was put into code and sent to Ambassador Page at London for presentation to the foreign office. It is understood that the protest was compiled by Pres. Wilson personally. It will be made public next Monday morning. Officials at the white house and state department expressed themselves as hopeful that the British government will modify considerably its position in view of the emphatic opposition enunciated by the United States. Opposed to Treaties.

The protest, it is understood, insists that the boycott, as announced by the British government, is in direct opposition to the trade treaties between the two governments. It is also characterized, officials say, as an unwarranted interference in the domestic affairs of the United States. Interference with business of American merchants, the protest says, especially when that business is almost exclusively confined to neutral territory, cannot be permitted by the United States. The general employment of the boycott by Great Britain is declared in effect to be an unfriendly act.

Meanwhile the department is insisting, through the British embassy here, that certain firms admittedly innocent of violating any part of the British decree be removed from the boycott list. These individual cases are being taken up directly with London by the British embassy officials here.

It is understood that most of the individual cases brought to the attention of the British government likely will receive favorable action.

Disagree in Mail Cases.

It has been learned here that the real reason for the delay in the receipt of the complete reply to the mail protest is that there is a disagreement between the French and British authorities on the position to be taken. France is said to lean to the belief that the American contention that neutral vessels carrying mail which are diverted into British or French territorial waters for cargo inspection, cannot be held subject to domestic regulations which include search and seizure of mails in transit for the division of mailmen, on the other hand, declare that the presence of a vessel within territorial waters, no matter how brought there, makes it liable to the local regulations.

The London embassy today notified the state department that it has been informed that the mail reply will be expedited as much as possible and that it still is a subject of discussion with the French government.

INDIANA GUARDSMEN WILL HAVE A \$15,000 HOSPITAL IN CAMP

International News Service: INDIANAPOLIS, July 27.—The camp of the Indiana national guard at Mercedes, Texas, is taking on a permanent aspect, according to advice received here today. In addition to a \$15,000 field hospital, a field bakery with a capacity of 1,000 loaves of bread will be built immediately for the division of militiamen encamped there. Lieut. L. A. Trenchard, of Elkhart, will have charge of the construction of the hospital and Lieut. Ray Harrison of Columbia City, will have charge of the building of the field bakery.

Plans for making up deficiencies in some of the regiments in Texas were advanced today when Maj. Jesse Johnson opened a camp for recruits at Fort Harrison. The camp was established upon orders from the central department of the regular army.